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TO: PARTIES OF RECORD IN INVESTIGATION 01-06-047

Enclosed are the proposed decision of Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Sullivan, previously designated as the principal hearing officer in this proceeding, and the alternate order of Commissioner Wood. These items will be on the Commission's agenda for its June 27, 2002 meeting. This matter was categorized as ratesetting and is subject to Pub. Util. Code § 1701.3(c). Pursuant to Resolution ALJ-180 a Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting to consider this matter may be held upon the request of any Commissioner. If that occurs, the Commission will prepare and mail an agenda for the Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting 10 days before hand, and will advise the parties of this fact, and of the related ex parte communications prohibition period.

The Commission may act at the regular meeting on June 27, 2002, or it may postpone action until later. If action is postponed, the Commission will announce whether and when there will be a further prohibition on communications.

When the Commission acts on the proposed decision, it may adopt all or part of it as written, amend or modify it, or set it aside and prepare its own decision. Only when the Commission acts does the decision become binding on the parties.

Parties to the proceeding may file comments on the proposed decision and alternate as provided in Article 19 of the Commission's "Rules of Practice and Procedure." These rules are accessible on the Commission's website at <http://www.cpuc.ca.gov>. Pursuant to Rule 77.3 opening comments shall not exceed 15 pages. Finally, comments must be served separately on the ALJ and all Commissioners, and for that purpose I suggest hand delivery, overnight mail, or other expeditious method of service.

/s/ CARL K. OSHIRO
Carl K. Oshiro, Interim Chief
Administrative Law Judge

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Enclosures